on or immediately after attainment of 7 years of age whichever is later. The period starting from the date of commencement of the policy to the commencement of risk is known as waiting period.

(c) The details of benefits and the nature of risks covered under the plan are as follows:—

(1) In case of death of the female life asseured during the waiting period the premium paid excluding the Waiver benefit will be refunded and the contract will come to an end.

(2) In case of death of the female life assured after the waiting period but before the date of maturity the full sum assured alongwith vested bonuses will be paid and the contract will come to an end.

(3) On the female life assured surviving upto the premium paying term, the full sum assured will be paid as survival benefit. The policy will however continue to participate in profits and the risk cover for full sum assured will continue upto the end of policy term even after payment of survival benefit.

(4) On the female life assured surviving upto the date of maturity only the vested bonus will be payable as the sum assured is already paid as survival benefit.

(5) After marriage of life assured the risk cover will be extended also to the life of her husband subject, however, to certain conditions. In case the husband predeceases the wife (before date of maturity then the full sum assured (without bonus) will be paid. The contract will not, however, come to an end and the risk cover on the female life assured will continue and the policy will also continue to participate in profits

Foreign Investment in the Country

884. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what was the foreign investment in India in the wake of Government's liberalised economic policy and liberalisation of regulations relating to foreign investments during the period from September, 1992 to November, 1992 and in January, 1993 with details thereof; and

(b) what are the details of withdrawal of foreign investment from India, if any during December, 1992 and January, 1993?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR ABRAR AHMED): (a) The details of foreign equity investments approved during the relevant months are as under:—

Months	Amount of total Equity
	(Rs. in millions)
September, 1992 .	1009.3
October, 1992 . .	3107.8
November, 1992 .	2717.3
January, 1993 . . Æ	8158.4

(b) No instances of disinvestment by foreign investors during December, 1992 and January, 1993 have come to the notice of the Government.

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885. **श्री सोम पाल :** क्या वित्त मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार का ध्यान ग्रामीण बैंक कर्मचारी एसोसिएशन द्वारा दी गई इस आशय की सूचना की ओर दिलाया गया है कि राष्ट्रीय ग्रामीण बैंक की स्थापना नहीं किये जाने की दशा में कर्मचारी हड़ताल कर देंगे;

(ख) यदि हां, तो राष्ट्रीय ग्रामीण बैंक की स्थापना करने के लिये सरकार ने 28 फरवरी, 1993 तक क्या कार्यवाही की है ;